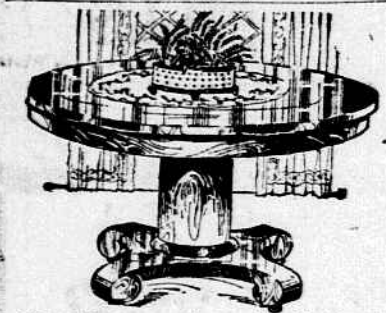


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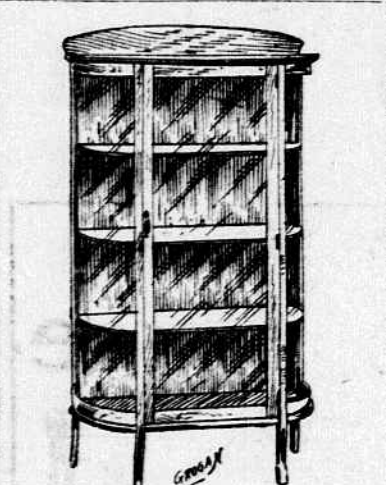
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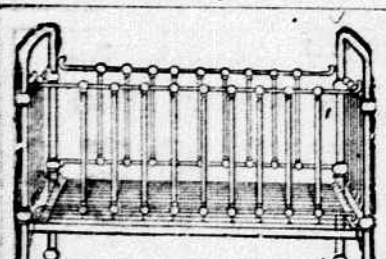


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Women will recognize the extra quality in the grades we offer at these reduced prices. Choice of white or gray.  
\$1.50 grades.....95c  
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This All-metal Crib has heavy, continuous posts, with high safety drop sides. The head, foot and sides are set with plain filler rods. The finish is highly polished white enamel, and each is fitted with a fine woven wire spring.

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GROGAN'S

## KILLS SELF AFTER SHOOTING AT GIRL

Gorman C. Batchelor Had Tried to Force Attention on Miss Mary Stroman.

Gorman C. Batchelor, a clerk in the Southern Railway Company office, killed himself with a pistol on the street near the entrance to the National Museum grounds at 12th and B streets northwest yesterday afternoon, after trying to shoot Miss Mary Stroman, a clerk in the Post Office Department.

This is the third serious result of pistol play in this city within forty-eight hours.

Miss Stroman, who resented Batchelor's attentions because he was married, had already complained to the police and a warrant for the arrest of the man for making threats had been issued. It had not been served.

Miss Stroman is the daughter of a member of the police department and lives at 717 K street northeast. Batchelor lived at 1922 B street northeast.

### Feared for Her Life.

Miss Stroman left the employ of the railway company and obtained a position in the Post Office Department. However, Batchelor's attentions, which began at the railroad office, did not cease when Miss Stroman left there. She tried to stop them, but was not at all successful, and the matter came to pass where she believed Batchelor actually meant what he said when he threatened her life.

Monday she called at the office of Assistant District Attorney Ralph Given, and told her story, which resulted in the issuance of a warrant for the arrest of Batchelor on the charge that he had made threats against Miss Stroman. The warrant was turned over to Detective Dallamico of the ninth precinct, but was not served, and the delay came near resulting in death for the young woman.

Miss Stroman left the Post Office Department between 4:30 and 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Batchelor was waiting at the door for her. She told him to leave, she says, but he refused. She objected to him accompanying her on the street, but he made so much of her that she did not care to have him become noisier, thinking it would be wiser to walk with him as far as 12th and B streets. She hoped to induce him to let her alone in the future.

### Denied He Was Armed.

While the two were walking Miss Stroman saw Batchelor fumbling with something in his inside coat pocket.

"You have a pistol," she said sharply. "I haven't any pistol," Stroman answered, "it's a pain in my chest."

Miss Stroman said today that she feared then that Batchelor would try to kill her, and she walked along in terror. She felt sure that her companion was armed, and about ready to use his weapon.

At 12th and B streets she saw a friend, Duncan Stuart, a clerk in the Department of Agriculture, who lives at 212 Carroll street, Takoma Park. She called Mr. Stuart and asked his help. She said that Batchelor had a pistol.

"That's not so," said Batchelor. "Search me," and he held up his arms. Mr. Stuart started to search in the man's hip pockets. Batchelor suddenly stuck one hand in his upper inside coat pocket, pulled his pistol and fired at close range. The bullet went through Stuart's cap, in the direction of Miss Stroman. Stuart grabbed Batchelor and yelled.

### Turned Weapon on Himself.

Park Policeman W. W. Steele saw the disturbance and ran to the place where the two men were scuffling. Batchelor still had the revolver in his hand. When he saw the policeman he turned the weapon toward his head and fired. The bullet inflicted a scalp wound only.

Then he pulled away from both men and fired the shot from which he died an hour later in Emergency Hospital.

Four detectives—Grant, Berman, Cornwell and Warren—went out to investigate the suicide, having also been engaged in the pistol tragedies of the past two days. Relatives of Batchelor today expressed the belief the young man's mind was deranged. Coroner Nevitt today issued a certificate stating that the man had committed suicide.

## SCHOOL PUPILS TO HELP TO AVERT PAPER FAMINE

Board of Education to Ask Children to Collect Old Newspapers for Sale.

School children of the District of Columbia are going to help the paper shortage and at the same time learn some valuable lessons in thrift.

A plan was adopted at the meeting of the board of education at the Franklin School yesterday whereby children will be asked to bring their old newspapers to the schools which they attend. The papers will be collected and sold to dealers in paper, the money thus raised going for playgrounds or other social activities. Tons of paper which is believed may easily be collected in this manner may again be converted into paper stock and the paper "famine" minimized.

### President Van Schaick Hopeful.

Dr. John Van Schaick, president of the board, spoke most favorably in behalf of the plan.

"I think it is an excellent idea," he said. As several hundred children are in each school it is believed that a hundred pounds or more of old papers may easily be collected each week. Indeed, it is pointed out that if the children enter into the proposition, as in a competitive game in which they wish to better their school, hundreds of pounds may easily be collected each week at the respective schools.

### Weekly School Collections.

Arrangements have been made whereby the papers will be collected from each building once a week, so no great piles of paper may accumulate. Just where they will deposit the papers they bring to school will be told the pupils after the opening date.

It is believed that a neat sum for the use of the playgrounds or other social activities in which the children will be the prime beneficiaries may be realized through this plan. At the same time the children will be taught a practical lesson in thrift, it is pointed out—that often those things considered to have served their use may still be of value for some particular purpose.

### Mob Hanged Alleged Murderer.

OLATHE, Kans., September 21.—Bert Dudley, charged with the murder of Henry Miller, an aged German, and his wife, was taken from the Johnson county jail here today by a masked mob and hanged to a telephone pole.

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Black and colored; 1 to 3 yard lengths. Values to \$1.50 yard.  
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Choice of black and the new fall shades; good lengths for all purposes.

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9x12 ft. Seamless Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs

Regularly \$24.45. SPECIAL.....

**\$18.79**

Ten patterns in choice oriental and floral effects; medallions and all-over designs; pleasing colorings, soft, blending shades of rose, tan, brown, blue, red, green and ecru.

9x12-ft. Rugs; 3 different makes, including over 20 patterns. Very special.....**\$6.45**

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Remember, these are all-wool, woven without seams; in floral and oriental patterns; light and dark colors.

Four Lines of Small Rugs in the Sale

25x50-INCH RAG RUGS, hit and miss patterns; plain bordered effects.  
27x54-INCH BRUSSELETTE RUGS, mottled centers, with stenciled borders.  
27x54-INCH WOOL AND FIBER RUGS, small and large figured, in light and dark colorings.

25x50-INCH GOLDEN RUGS, new process inlaid; assortment of good patterns and colors for bath, porch and kitchen use.  
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Lamb's Wool-Filled Comfort, warm and light, made with p. e. t. y. and silkoning cover, size 72x78. At.....**\$4.00**

Plain silk border. At.....**\$4.00**  
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You should choose carefully, because the shape is all important this year. There are so many different styles to select from that you cannot fail to be satisfied.

Black velvets chiefly, excellent in quality and in all the very latest styles of the present mode.

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**Remnants Upholstery Goods**

—Useful Lengths—Four Table Lots at Four Low Prices

These are accumulations of our own remnants and mill remnants. The mills cut off lengths that run over standard bolts; also misprints and trial patterns.

Marquise and Voiles, worth to 35c yard. Choice, 11c

White, cream, ecru; sheer weaves, plain, drawn or hem-stitched borders; 1 to 7 yard lengths. Many can be matched up.

Silkolines and Cretonnes, worth 12 1/2c to 18c yard. 7c

Choice.....**7c**  
Plaid color and figured silkolines, figured cretonnes.

Odd Portieres; values, \$4 to \$5 if in pairs. Strip.....**\$1.45**

Only 150 Heavy Mercerized Armure Portieres, full length and width; some with knotted fringe top and bottom; some finished with gobelin tapestry hand borders; colors are green, brown, blue and old rose.

Half-length Portieres; values to \$1.50 if in pairs. Choice, strip.....**59c**

Half size in rep, armure and tapestry; some finished with tapestry borders; on fine rep; others highly mercerized in plain colors; also some tapestry in verdure effects. Suitable for table covers, cushions, etc.

Cretonnes, worth to 65c yard. Choice.....**29c**

Heavy quiltings; rich patterns; linen taffetas, mercerized rep, etc.; also heavy tapestry denims in one and two color effects.

Cretonnes, worth to 35c yard. Choice, yard.....**15c**

Figured and striped effects; new patterns; 1 to 10 yard lengths.

Window Shades, values are 45c to 55c each. Choice.....**29c**

High-grade, Hand-made and Machine-made Oil Opaque Shades; mounted on strong spring rollers; complete with crocheted ring and fixtures; size 36x72 inches; white, ecru, gray and green; slightly imperfect.

Extra-Size Shades; second of values to \$1.50. Choice.....**56c**

Most wanted colors; size 42 to 48 inches wide.

25c Sham Holders, 15c

65 of these; 54 inches wide; strongly made to hold any shade from 32 to 54 inches wide; complete for Friday, 15c.  
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Extend a Cordial Invitation to You to Visit Our Garment Stores, Second Floor

Note the Fit and Finish of Our NEW FALL SUITS

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Particularly will this be good news to the young woman getting ready for boarding school and college, where many chic but simple frocks will be needed for classroom wear.

At \$9.90—

There are many pretty models in serge, some satin trimmed, made with broad belts, patch pockets, box pleat in back and front. Most of these are navy blue. All sizes up to 42 bust.

Kann's—Second Floor.

At \$12.95—

New Crepe de Chines in side-pleated models, pleated from the shoulder to bottom of tunic, held in to the form with a sash of the same material. There are serges in new combinations of bronze and blue and dresses of taffeta and Georgette crepe.

All sizes to 44 bust.

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It Will Be a Revelation to You to Note the Immense Variety of Styles We Offer in the Season's

**SMART BLOUSES for All Occasions**

AT ONE PRICE.....**\$3.95**

Blouses, for wear with the new suits, of chiffon, in the new street shades.

Satin Striped Crepe de Chine Blouses for general wear.

Ecru lace-trimmed Georgette and crepe de chine.

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Plain tailored and semi-tailored styles.

Models the woman who desires the most advanced styles will choose.

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All sizes for women from 36 to 46 bust.

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Embroidered Georgette Crepe Collars

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Fine Quality Georgette Crepe, in white only, some lace trimmed, and all embellished with touches of embroidery. Some with embroidered scalloped edges.

Novelty Ties, some of velvet, with fancy handkerchiefs and dandy checked silk ties, with ball pendants; all new and very popular at the present time for wear with the new waists and dresses.

Choice either style.....**16c**  
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